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St. Louis warehouse statement:

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Rise and Fall of the Rivers

River Forecast. The rivers in this district will remain sta-tionary or rise slowly during the next 35 hours

Biver and Rusiness. Harbor gauges yesterday marked 2.5 feet, in-dicating a rise of 1 of a foot in 24 hours. Navigation at St. Louis is suspended. Weather fair and cold.

River Rialto Brevitles. -Captain White Carroll, now with the World's Fair Company Captain John E. Berry, master of the steamer Flowence, and Colonel Hunter Ben Jenkins, agent of the Columbia Porket Company, were among the visitors at the har-bor-rooms yesterday.

bor-rooms yesterday.

—Captain Frank Duzler, a veteran retired riverman, new president of the Dozer Bisculi Company, is ill at his home with petermenta.

—Captain J. Comyers, a veteran upper river pitot, is dead at his home. In Quiney, Ill, Formany years Cartain Comyers was on the steamers phying between St. Louis and Keokuk, He was St years old.

—Fire at the river warehouse at Greenville, Miss. recently destroyed the report loxes of the Masters and Filots Association.

—Captain John Herman, chief clerk of the Stacker Lee, was down from his home, at Alton, yesterday.

—Captain George Keith, who sustained a Alten, yesterday.

-Captain George Keith, who sustained a fracture of the left leg recently, had the injured limb placed in a planter cast yesterday.

-Considerable newly firmed fee was floating in the harbor yesterday. It was not heavy enough, however, to interfere with the ferry-boats.

10.9 feet. Snow.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 12.—River stationary, 5.2 feet. Clear and couler, with snow furries.
Cincinnati, O., Jan. 13.—River 11.3 feet, stationary, Navigation still suspended. Snowing.
Wheeling. W Va., Jan. 13.—River 1 foot 11 inches, failing. Georges holding. County and warm.

And cut on time.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 13—The gauge reads tonight 47 feet and failing. Weather cold, with
wind from the north. Rainfall in the last 28
hours was 6. light snowfall this morning
Dick Fowler to Carro at 8 a. m. Buttorff to
Nashville at 3 n. m. Clyde to the Tennessee
River to-night at 2 D. m. No ice in the Ohio
River, but the gerges above still hold, preventing the Evansville boats from running.
Rusiness dull on the wharf.

Vicksburg, Miss., Jan. 11.—The gauge to-night
shows 65, a fall of 1. The Chalmette is due
down. The Cordill cleave for Natcher. The
American cleaved for Green for Natcher.

Grand Tower, Hi., Jan. 13.—Gauge 2.5 feet, a fall
of 1. Weather fair and cold. Light snow last
night. No ice running as yet.

Grand Tower, Hi., Jan. 11.—The gauge reader,
with light snow.

Burlington, ia., Jan. 13.—The river fell 5inch sirce last report and is 3 feet 1 inch above
low-water mark. Weather clear and colder.

Memphis. Tenn., Jan. 12.—The river here
stands 4.5 feet on the gauge, a fall of 1 in the
last 24 hours. The Delta departed at 5:30 p.

M. for Vickdurry with a good trip. The James
Leconical Lee departed at 5:30 p. m. for Cairo
with a fair trip. The Peters Lee departed at
5:30 p. m. for Ashport. Receipts by river today were 75 bales of cotton and 25 baze of
seed cotton and 5:80 sacks of cotton seed and
55 sacks of corn.

FINANCIAL.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE-

At the Close of Business, December 31st, 1903.

----RESOURCES----

Loans..... \$14,481,270.54 Bonds and Stocks...... 2,204,041.47 Real Estate(Company's ).... 550,000.00 Safety Deposit Vaults ..... Other Assets..... 28,257.94 Cash in Vaults and Depositories . . . 4,186,625,10

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The Metal Markets.

# OF THEATER BOILER-ROOM.

submitted to Building Commissioner Helmburger yesterday and were generally approved. The main exception taken by the boiler-room beneath the auditorium. the boilers he located cutside the building and that the plans be amended to do away with all danger from explosion as

the building could be emptied in a short time.

Not only the first floor aisles, but the balcony and gallery aisles as well are safeguarded by leading to iron stallways on the outside of the building.

The Garrick will be located on Chestnut street, between Broadway and Sixth street, and in its design Architect Albert Swassy has taken into consideration every factor that would increase the safety of the andience and prevent nances in case the audience and prevent panics in ca

For 24 hours	ending	# 7 B	m.:		
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Nashville		******	49.9	5.0	+0.
Chattanooga			23.0	1.9	***
Florence			16.0	0.2	-0.
Johnsonville		******	21,0	1.7	-0.
Evansville			\$5.9	5.2	-9.
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Little Rock.			25.0	3.5	6.
Vicksburg			45.0	5.7	-0.
Shrevetort .	*******	******	29.0	-1.0	-0.
New Orleans		******	16.0	2.9	-0.
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Local Forecast Official.

To-Day's Weather.

By Telegraph.
REPUBLIC SPECIALS.
Louisville, Ky. Jan. 11.—River stationary; in count 43 feet, on falls 15 foot, below looks 10.5 feet. Snow.

a fall of 2 of a foot in last 24 hours, Wenther cloudy and much collet.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan 11.—River 4.3 feet; rising at Davis Island dam. Cloudy, cold.

Chiro, Ill., Jan, 11.—River gauge reads 8.3, showing a fall of ,7 during the last 24 hours. Weather cloudy and cold. The Hermann Panetcke arrived from the Lower Mississippi at noon, with two harges of logs. The Government snaghest H. G. Wright, departed for St. Louis at 12:20 n. m. The Dick Fowler was in and out on time.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 13.—The gauge reads togich 4.7 feet and falling. Weather cold, with

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# COPPER! COPPER! COPPER!

The great Mineral Belt of the Ozark Mountains in Missouri is to-day attracting more attention than any minin camp in this country. Wonderful developments have been made within the last year; large tracts of land are being pur chased, and within a few months it is predicted there will be a rush for that section such as has not been known in an

chased, and within a few months it is predicted there will be a rush for that section such as has not been known in any camp for years.

THE MISSOURI COPPER MOUNTAIN MINING COMPANY has within the last year developed the RICHEST COPPER DEPOSIT IN THE WORLD, within sixty miles of St. Louis (on the Frisco R. R.) in the heart of the Mineral Belt. Works have been visorously pushed for the last twelve months; 1.20 feet of tunnel have been cut on two levels, every foot of which is in rich, high-grade ore. Three shafts, representing over 350 feet, have been put down, of which over 250 feet shows a perfect conglomerate of the richest copper deposit. The Company has quietly proceeded with its work without askley outside assistance. They have secured and purchased in fee 7.428 acres of highly mineralized land surrounding the developed copper property. They have erected a complete Reduction Plant for Copper Ores. The Mills and Crushers have a capacity of 250 tons per day; the present Smelting Furnaces a capacity of 350 tons per day, all of which have been paid for by private subscription of the officers and directors, and will be in full blast on or before February 1. They now have under contract an additional Smelting Furnace of 35-ton capacity, and are negotiating for the erection of a complete plant for the reduction of lead ores, which have been developed in large quantities on their own and adjacent properties. The Company is capitalized for \$1,500,000,00,000, par value \$1.00 per share, \$500,000,000 of which has been allotted to the treasury. The Board of Directors have decided to offer for public subscription 200,000 shares to enable them to continue uninterruptedly their extensive improvements and development work. They have allotted \$5,000 shares to be sold at 25 cents, 50,000 shares at 50 cents and the remainder at par. Positively there will be no deviation from these prices. The first \$50,000 shares at 50 cents and the remainder at par. Positively there will be no deviation from these prices. The first \$50,000 sh

OZARK INVESTMENT & REALTY CO., 620-21 Chemical Bldg., St. LOUIS, MO.

# BELIEVE COTTON

Local Brokers Declare Quotations May Advance Owing to Shortage of Crop.

BOLL WEEVIL PLAYS HAVOC.

Indications Are That Output Will Be 750,000 Bales Less Than Last Year, When a Deficiency Existed.

The belief that the price of cotton will advance above the present high quotation seems general among commission

merchants and cotton brokers. be even smaller than last year's by 500.-600 hales. Last year's crop was short. The shortnge this year is due to the ravages of the boll weevil in Texas, and to unseasonable weather in Arkansas and Louisiana.

The bottom crop in Arkansas was fair and the middle and principal crop was good. Hetween the maturing of the middie and top crop, however, cold nights and rains made the top crop a total failure. L. L. Prince, president of the firm of L. L. Prince & Co. of No. 106 South Main street made the following statement yesterday regarding the cotton crop out-

"Before the beginning of the present cotton season, it has been very seldom that the visible supply of cotton has fallen to 1,200,000 bales, and the surplus in spinner's hands to 60,000 bales, making a total supply of 1.860.00 bales. This has heretofore been considered a very small supply. "Last season we ended with 1.100.000 as the total visible supply, and the mills of

WILL GO HIGHER.

the world absolutely bare of stock, and the total amount of American cotton down to \$80,000 bales. "Indications now are that this year's crop, will be 730,000 bales less than last year's crop. Receipts up to January 1 are about the same as for the same period last season, but reports from the country say that the amount yet to come forward is less than 50 per cent of the amount received after January 1 last year.

"If the shortage last summer and fall the shortage last summer and shortage last summer and the same and the same as for the same period last summer shortage last summer and the same as for the same period last summer shortage last summer shortage last summer and shortage last shortage last summer and shortage last shortage last

ceived after January I last year.

"If the shortage last summer and fall made 18-cent cotton, it is conservative and legitimate to expect 18-cent cotton from now to next September; and if speculation puts aside 500,000 bales the situation will become very acute and prices can easily be forced to 16 or even 18 cents per pound. "Last year at this time I ventured the opinion that cotton would go to 12 cents. That was generally considered absurd, but the price is now above that extravagant estimate."

STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR. Resolution Favoring Congression-

al Invesitagtion Adopted. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Springfield, Mo., Jan. 13.—To-day's ses-

sideration of reports of the various com-A resolution was passed demanding leg-islative action in the matter of free em-

ployment bureaus. The State Legislature is urged to pass a law providing for free text books in public schools.

The Federation unanimously adopted the following resolution intradeced by G. Gus Crawford of the Kansas City World:

"Whereas, the Colorado State Federation of Labor is now in session for the purpose of considering the labor situation in that State; therefore be it

"Resolved, That this body demands that the Senate of the United States immediately pass the resolution, introduced by Senator Patterson, directing that the Senate Committee on Judiciary, or a subcommittee thereof, shall go to Colorado and investigate conditions existing in that State to the end that facts shall be laid before the nation in an authoritative manter. ployment bureaus. The State Legislature

before the nation in an authoritative man-rer.

"Resolved further, that the president of the Missouri Federation of Labor shall send to the Colorado Federation of Labor a telegram of greeting, and inform that body that this organization is in thorough sympathy with the organized laboring men of Colorado in their present struggle."

The conveniton will adjourn to-morrow evening after election of officers for en-suing year. suing year.

Minor Appointments.

Minor Appointments.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Doctor C. P.
Brown has been appointed a pension examining surgeon at Chickasha, Indian
Territory, and Doctor A. V. Decker at
Newkirk, Ok. W. H. Adamson of Liberty,
Tex., has been appointed to a clerkship
in the Treasury Department.

**ELECTS CANNON PRESIDENT.** 

Arrangements Completed for Annual Banquet in Celebration of St.

Tom D. Cannon was electe ' president of the Irish-American Society ast night to succeed Thomas J. J. Stanton at a meeting at the Knights of Father Mathew Hall, No. 2029 Washington avenue,

O'Malley, vice president; Frank P. Furlong, secretary; John M. Carney, financial secretary; Thomas S. Bowdern, treasurer, and James Healey, grand marshal. After the election arrangements were started for the fifth annual ball of the

society, to be held on the evening of St. Patrick's Day, March 17. Archbishop J. J. Glennon is expected to be the guest of honor at this year's bansion of the Missouri State Federation of quet. Following the precedent set by the Labor was taken up largely with the consociety several years ago, no wine will be

society several years ago, no wine will be served and invitations will be extended to ladies.

Those who will have charge of the banquet are:
Speakers' Committee—Charles J. O'Malley, Doctor D. D. O'Gorman, James Healey, Eugene Devine, Harry G. Whelan and Robert E. Crabb.
Esanquet Committee—Walter F. Burke, Martin J. Collins, John M. Carney, Arthur J. Donnelly and James A. Healey, Membersanip Committee—Joseph P. Hartnett, George T. Barry and Hugh McNally, Press Committee—O. J. Macaulay, D. J. McAuliffe and John T. Kelly.

## UPHOLDS FRENCH CATHOLICS.

Father Sullivan, S. J., Delivers Lecture Before Sodality.

The Reverend Father James J. Sullivan, 8. J., last night delivered the second lec-ture in the course being given before the Young Men's Sodality at No. 15 North Grand avenue. His discouse was entitled "The French War on Religious Teachers."
The lecturer was introduced by William Denvir. He reviewed the events in French history leading up to the Republic's present attitude toward religious orders. The main points of the "Association Law," the distasteful measure, were spoken of, and declared to be a gross violation of the fundamental laws of liberty.

"The church's attitude toward the law," said Father Sullivan, "must be one of uninterrupted protest, for it means that she is to be endured in France on condition that she reasounce the only claim upon which her existence can be justified." Grand avenue. His discouse was entitled



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